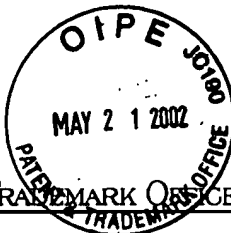




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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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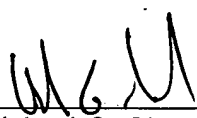
Dear Sir:

Applicants submit seven (7) sheets of formal drawings, consisting of Figures 1, 2, 3, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B and 7, in the above-named application. If there are any questions regarding these drawings, please call the undersigned at (415) 217-6000.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers – Filing Date Granted" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 21, 2002, the following documents are enclosed to complete the filing of the above-identified patent application:

1. Submission of Formal Drawings;
2. Seven sheets of Formal Drawings; and
3. Copy of Notice to File Corrected Application Papers - Filing Date Granted.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2386.

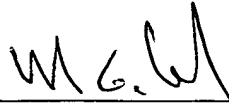
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